



# UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
-----------------	-------------	----------------------	---------------------	------------------

10/715,284

11/17/2003

Hashem Akhavan-Tafti

N-1-002

5215

67504 7590 05/12/2008

NEXGEN DIAGNOSTICS, LLC  
22900 W. EIGHT MILE ROAD  
SOUTHFIELD, MI 48033-4302

EXAMINER

GROSS, CHRISTOPHER M

ART UNIT

PAPER NUMBER

1639

MAIL DATE

DELIVERY MODE

05/12/2008

PAPER

**Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.**

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****U.S. Patent and Trademark Office**

Address : COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

<b>APPLICATION NO.</b> <b>10715284</b>	<b>FILING DATE</b> 11/17/2003	<b>FIRST NAMED INVENTOR</b> <b>AKHAVAN-TAFTI ET AL.</b>	<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</b> <b>N-1-002</b>
---	----------------------------------	--	--

NEXGEN DIAGNOSTICS, LLC  
22900 W. EIGHT MILE ROAD  
SOUTHFIELD, MI 48033-4302

**EXAMINER**

CHRISTOPHER M. GROSS

**ART UNIT****PAPER**

1639

20080508

**DATE MAILED:**

**Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.**

**Commissioner for Patents**

see attached

/Mark L. Shibuya, Ph.D./  
Primary Examiner, Art Unit  
1639